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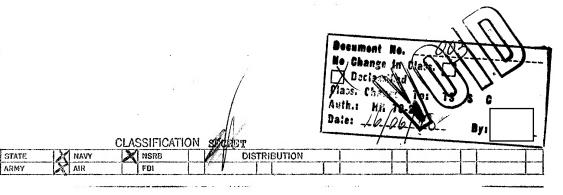
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- The Sports Associations established by the General Confederation of Labor are in actual fact para-military organizations. All students must belong to one of these Associations in order to receive their diplomaas or other recognition of their work. Such students must achieve the title "complete athlete", which requires proficiency in five sports including shooting, throwing of hand grenades and swimning.
- 2. Shotguns and rifles are being confiscated from opponents of the regime to equip local Hunting Associations. Confiscation of firearms under this pretext removes the weapons from enemies of the regime and places them in the possession of its supporters.

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